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APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/706,045	11/03/2000	Julie Straub	ACU 109 DIV(2)	7016

TITLE OF INVENTION: POROUS DRUG MATRICES AND METHODS OF MANUFACTURE THEREOF 04/06/2005 DENMANU2 00000051 503129 09706045

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EXAMINER	ART UNIT	CLASS-SUBCLASS
WEBMAN, EDWARD J	1617	424-489000

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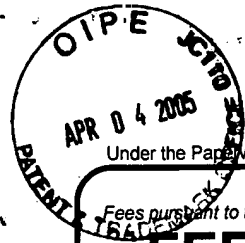
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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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### Complete if Known

Application Number	09/706,045
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First Named Inventor	Julie Straub
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

#### 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims 16 - 27 or HP = \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_ Fee Paid (\$)

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This application is entitled to claim small entity status pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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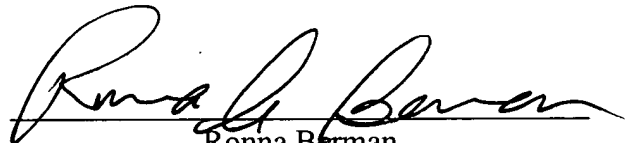
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